



SATURDAY EVENING, NOV. 3, 1906.

leaders have adopted the theory that the female figure is in reality more beautiful and graceful in its natural lines than with the constriction and distortion of the corset.

The steel rail mills of the country are said to have orders in hand for 1,500,000 tons to be delivered in 1907 and contracts for as many tons more are expected.

From Washington.

(Correspondence of the Alexandria Gazette.)

Acting Secretary of the Treasury Keep announced today that a shortage of \$61,500 has been found in the accounts of the U. S. sub-treasurer at St. Louis.

There will be no international competition between this country and Japan as a result of the arrest in Manila, of a young Japanese officer who had made sketches of the fortifications there.

While we are disappointed that Commander Peary failed to reach the North Pole, we are all proud of his remarkable achievement in attaining the farthest north.

The Civil Service Commission today began an investigation of the charges preferred by Chairman Griggs of the democratic congressional committee that Geo. M. Bowers, fish commissioner, has been "perfidiously active" in West Virginia politics by attempting to levy campaign contributions on federal office holders.

Chief Chemist Wiley, of the Department of Agriculture, has organized another squad of men in his laboratory at Washington, who will eat regular food products containing saltpetre for the purpose of testing its effect upon the human system.

There prevails at present an unprecedented crest-crash among the fashionable women of Paris, taking their cue from famous actresses.

News of the Day.

The Pennsylvania Railroad will grant a 10 per cent increase in wages to 200,000 employees January 1.

Marquis Ito is to be replaced as resident general for Japan in Korea by Count Katsura, former premier.

Rear Admiral Rixey reports that tuberculosis is making inroads in the navy, there being 6.1 cases for every 1,000 men.

Augustus J. Harjo, the Pittsburgh millionaire who sued his wife for divorce has been asked to resign from the Duquesne Club.

Dispatches from New York State say that the Root speech may prove a boom-erang to Hughes, but that the Croker cablerang was a severe blow to Hearst.

Chairman Griggs, of the democratic committee, yesterday made a charge against George M. Bowers of soliciting \$2,000 for political purposes from the postmaster at Martinsburg, W. Va.

Maine reports so far in this hunting season sixteen deaths of gunners. The game receipts are far below those of last year.

Virginia News.

At the close of services at Trinity Episcopal Church of Manassas on Sunday last, Rev. Dr. McGill tendered his resignation.

Virginians had a good day at Pimlico yesterday afternoon, three horses from the Old Dominion getting brackets.

Dr. V. O. Caruthers, of King George county, has entered suit in the Circuit Court of that county against the King George board of supervisors.

Governor Swanson has written a letter to the Secretary of the Navy asking that the battleship Virginia be ordered to Newport News for the purpose of receiving the silver service given by the State to that ship.

The Richmond council committee on light has renewed its contract with the Virginia Passenger and Power Company, by its receivers, for supplying the city with 800 arc lights of 1,200 candle power each for one year from July 1, 1907.

The movement recently started by the Norfolk county truck growers for the enforcement of the Virginia vagrancy laws in that section with a view to relieving the great scarcity of labor in the eastern Virginia trucking belt is resulting in many arrests.

Drug Combine Illegal.

The Maryland Court of Appeals held a consultation Thursday night and handed down a number of important opinions yesterday.

Chief Judge McSherry delivered the opinion in the appeal of Klingels Pharmacy, of Baltimore city, against Sharpe & Dohme, the Calvert Drug Company and the Baltimore Retail Drug Association.

Granted a Divorce.

Judge Nils in Baltimore yesterday signed a decree granting August Gutman an absolute divorce from Katie L. Gutman, a wife who, it was revealed by the testimony, literally discharged him from his matrimonial job because he dared protest against cooking his meat and running the house while she was basking in the sunshine and sea breeze of Long Island.

Commodore Peary Goes Farthest North.

The United States now holds the record of "farthest north"—87° 6'. This feat was accomplished by Commander Robert E. Peary, of the United States navy.

The intrepid Arctic explorer failed to reach the North Pole, as he had confidently hoped to do with his specially constructed vessel, the Roosevelt, but penetrated nearer to the pole than the Duke of Abruzzi's expedition, which had held the Arctic record 86° 34'.

What Commander Peary did and his experiences during the past year in the frozen north are rather briefly, but certainly vividly, summarized in a communication received last night by Herbert L. Bridgeman, secretary of the Peary Arctic Club.

\$100 Reward, \$100.

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is Catarrh of the Bladder.

Address P. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O. Sold by all Druggists, etc.

Today's Telegraphic News.

The Elections.

Washington, D. C. Nov. 3.—President Roosevelt is running today in many states in the Union. Although his name will not appear on the ballots, his record principles and his future are being used to bring the people to the polls in behalf of the committee.

Madison, Wis., Nov. 3.—A review of the political situation in Wisconsin indicates that the republicans will elect their full State ticket and at least nine of the eleven Congressmen.

Boise, Idaho, Nov. 3.—The campaign in Idaho practically closed today, with both sides claiming the State by a small majority.

The President appears in Pennsylvania and though his mission was to speak at the Capitol dedication, and was announced to have no political significance whatever, the "machine," controlled by Senator Penrose, seized the opportunity thus offered to make it appear that the President came to help it out.

It is in New York, however, that the President is most interested. He decided upon the ousting of Odell, the extreme t of Higgins, the selection of Parsons and the nomination of Hughes in all in the early part of the summer, and his programme was jammed through almost before the men who have made politics their life study woke up to the fact that there is a mighty congressional struggle on all over the country.

Even such optimists as Chairman Sherman and Secretary Ludenlager of the republican congressional committee expect that the House majority will be cut down, but they confidently figure on at least forty votes over the minority.

New York, Nov. 3.—Election chances in the Empire State favor Charles E. Hughes, the republican nominee. This is the best prediction that can be made today, but it is by no means certain.

Berlin, Nov. 3.—All the powers represented in the international congress which assembled here to discuss the subject of wireless telegraphy, except Montenegro, today signed the agreement reached by the conference regulating the exchange of wireless messages.

It cannot be denied that the democratic organization is badly split, owing largely to the acceptance of Hearst after he had been placed in the field as an independent candidate. But he has element of personal popularity which may offset this.

President Roosevelt's eleventh hour action in declaring, through Secretary of State Root, in his speech at Utica Thursday night, that Hearst had incited the assassination of President McKinley undoubtedly was a hard blow at Hearst.

Attacked on both flanks the Hearst fire has been diverted from Charles E. Hughes, the republican nominee for governor, to Secretary of State Root and to former Boss Croker, of Tammany Hall.

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Ten Thousand Dollars Duty.

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Chicago, Nov. 3.—Forecasts of Tuesday election in Illinois are being made by the political leaders. Even the most sanguine democrats concede a plurality to the republicans.

Japanese to Insist on Treaty Rights.

San Francisco, Nov. 3.—Significant in the action of the Japanese in this city when they dismissed the suit instituted some time ago to force the city to admit a Japanese student to the schools of San Francisco.

Believed He will be Acquitted.

New York, Nov. 3.—That the Rev. Algerion J. Crapey, rector of St. Andrews Church, Rochester, N. Y., will be acquitted of the charge of heresy by the court of review of the second department to which he appealed from the decision of the diocesan court which found him guilty, was freely predicted today following the meeting of the Board of Review in this city yesterday.

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Wages to be Increased.

Philadelphia, Nov. 3.—The wages of all employees of the Pennsylvania Railroad system on lines east and west of Pittsburgh are to be increased. Nearly 150,000 men will be affected.

Madison, Wis., Nov. 3.—The Reading Railway today announced an increase of wages of 10 per cent on all employees whose salaries are less than \$200 per month.

Rammed Battleship.

Norfolk, Va., Nov. 3.—The Battleship Virginia, while passing up to the Norfolk navy yard today, was rammed on the starboard quarter by the Old Dominion steamship Monroe from New York.

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New York, Nov. 3.—The bookmakers at the Jamaica track today have good cause to regret the presence there yesterday of "Bar-Million" John W. Gates. It was his first visit to a race course in many days, but he showed clearly that he was still in touch with the form of horses by picking four winners which netted him nearly \$46,000.

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Church Destroyed by Fire.

Boston, Nov. 3.—The church and parish house of the First Unitarian parish were almost destroyed by fire today. Fire Lieutenant Seldou Allen was probably fatally injured by falling walls and Hoseman James McDonald received severe injuries.

Denies He Murdered the Woman.

Chicago, Nov. 3.—Leonard Leopoe, accused slayer of Margaret Leslie, arrived in Chicago today. He denies any knowledge whatever of the revolting murder committed in the police Hotel.

Senator Clark Not a Candidate.

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Burned to Death.

Altoona, Pa., Nov. 3.—Henry Ceman, aged 80, was cremated last night in his father's house two miles from Altoona. While his wife was away, he built a fire in the kitchen stove and fell asleep. A coal dropped on the floor and the flame which resulted burned the house.

New York Stock Market.

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Lansburgh & Bro. Store Reopens Open Till 9 P.M. Tonight. Our Anniversary Sale. This is the last call to the generous offerings of this unparalleled occasion.

15c Hose, 10c. Children's Fine Black Ribbed Cotton Hose: double knee, heel and toe; warranted fast black.

25c Hose, 15c. Boys' Heavy Hose: extra-double knee, heel and toe; warranted fast black.

29c Hose, 21c. Women's Fine Black Lisle Hose: double heel and toe; warranted fast color.

Cashmere Gloves, 25c. Women's two-clasp Cashmere Gloves, in gray, blue, brown and black.

Fleece-lined Gloves, 50c and 75c. Women's two-clap fleece-lined Telfeta Gloves, in black.

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C. R. Yates & Co., Groceries and Provisions, No. 300 South Fairfax Street, TELEPHONE NO. 195.

List of Unclaimed Letters.

Table listing names and addresses of individuals with unclaimed letters, including Hall, Andrew; Lomas, Miss Alice; Anderson, Phillip; etc.

Wholesale Prices of Produce.

Table listing various produce items and their prices, including Flour Extra, Family, Family brands, Wheat, Mixed, Fultz, Damp and tough, Pork, etc.